

The Raymond Leader.

VOL. 12.

RAYMOND, ALBERTA THURSDAY, JANUARY 30, 1913.

No 5

OUR LITTLE TOTS WHAT THEY ARE DOING IN WAY OF AMUSEMENT.

The next performance to hold the boards of our Opera House is to be given by some of our children, and it is expected at least some of the parents will be present to see the little tots in their rather ambitious venture.

The cast has been carefully selected from the grades although not all of the little ones are from the public school.

Little Dorothy Young was brought over by freight from Lethbridge, specially to do the part of "Lady Nell". She is not unknown in the town as a performer her parents having permitted her to appear once or twice before in public. It is said she has a sweet voice but her passionate devotion to home-work leaves her no time for its cultivation.

Miss Roxie Rodachuk will make up as a brunette in this play, which should prove an effective disguise; she being so pronouncedly blonde. If any criticism can be passed on this little one's work it is her tendency to romp and giggle in the death scenes. It has been thought best by the management, Miss Rodachuk being so attitudinized, to let her wear more clothes than any of the other children and because also our Opera House is so draughty.

Little Lillie Jenkins, of the Orphan's Home, known sometimes as the "Babe of the House" is expected to give a fine performance. Her promise is doubtless due to the fact that she comes from an institution which contains, it is said, more promise than any other like character in the Dominion. As Lillie is the youngest member of the cast, her performance will be marked with more than ordinary interest.

The town fat lady, who, owing to her weight, is responsible for the had conditions of our sidewalks, plays the via vis of Master George, as Elsie is the youngest member of the cast, her performance will be marked with more than ordinary interest.

Master Coxall, who plays the leading part, having been brought from the ranch by his family to study music, is a child of much promise, and in the rehearsals of

the piece comports himself quite the character he is to portray. It is said young Coxall inherits his strong histrionic tendencies from the fact that his Grandfather once built a theatre.

Master Spence Young, the printer's devil, as every one who has essayed to run our town paper knows is a devil of a business, will do the cripple in the piece; his great lameness though seems to be in his lines, however, the boy is bright enough to conceal his lapses of memory by mumbling, of which he does a great deal. His lack of memory however may be accounted for by the fact that there is a new baby in the house and he has been appointed to night shift.

Master Gillies or it may be Past Grand Master Gillies, who is a very clever dialectician has a part emblematic of his initiative and versatile abilities. He fires a real pistol in the piece, and owing to his invariable habit of shutting his eyes when he shoots and the difficulty he has in pulling the trigger the weapon wobbles a good deal and he had the misfortune at the last performance of shooting Master Young in the leg which was another cause of his lameness.

George Brewster, in whose honor the play is being given, he being about to go away as a soldier, will play the part of an "Anglo-Saxon". George will have ample opportunity to see how English lords act while he is away, as he will, no doubt be closely associated with them while he is abroad at school. George, it may be said, is now approaching the time when he will have his wisdom teeth cut out by mastication but by experience.

Master Allen, who is one of the Angels of the Meritane, has required some clever coaching to enable him to overcome his strong Italian accent. Tommie is inclined to clausophobia, as will be seen, by way he drops his "ks".

Parents as well as all public spirited citizens, who have the interests of the Primary at heart, will doubtless turn out and through the Opera House; and should there be any drummers in town we would respectfully request their presence, so that all may learn of the budding ability which is so prodigal among us.

A RARE TREAT

Played by order of the KING.

In a play which has the seal of a "command performance" for the late King and his royal guests, Mr. Lewis Walter, one of England's most notable players and "conceded to be the greatest romantic actor of his day, comes to the Majestic Theatre, Lethbridge on Thursday, February 6th, in Alexander Dumas' comedy "A Marriage of Convenience".

For his initial bow to Canada it is possible that a better selection could not have been made for aside from the fact that Mr. Walter has to his credit in England many distinct triumphs the role of Comte de Candale is said to be particularly fitted to him as an interpreter of the romantic drama.

The young Comte de Candale and Mlle. Torgny have been married to each other by their parents,

despite the fact that they scarcely know each other and that their hearts are neither engaged, and it is the falling in love of the apparently unhappily married couple, during the next three days, which unfolds the charmingly amusing incidents of the piece. It is a play brilliant with wit and sparkling with crisp lines - a comedy which will surely amuse and delight which you will take home to your private apartments and remember.

The company which Mr. Walter brings here for the interpretation of the French comedy includes many of the notables and his own English company and whose names are well known on both sides of the water. Miss Madge Tibbidge who for the past five years has been one of the most prominent leading

women in England; Mr. Maxwell Ryder, who besides his position as an actor is in W. A., and L. D., of London University; Mr. Charles Bodsworth, who for fourteen years has had the handling of Sir Henry Irving's most important character roles; Mr. Reginald Dane, Miss Annie Hughes and Mr. George Allison. Seats can now be reserved by mail or phone.

A SIGN OF SPRING

A sign of Spring
That's a sure thing
Than even the Zodiac,
Is the Auto bug
With its chug - chug - chug,
And the smell that pervades its track.

Like the swift approach
Of some giant cockroach
Now see it scuttle and glide,
For a whiff of its breath
Does "content" to death
While you yearn for the gay "joy ride".

Oh a fearsome thing
Is the Auto bug stung
Its victims both old and young
For each Automobile
Makes its owner feel
That he certainly has been 'stung'.

The Stake M. I. A. Conference.

On Sunday Feb. 2nd, will be held the Stake Y. M. & Y. L. M. I. A. Conference in the Knight Academy. The first session will commence at 10 a. m. and will be devoted to testimony bearing. The second session will commence at 2 p. m. and will be devoted to the opening exercises, these separate and each take up special subject relative to M. I. A. work. The subject taken up in the Young Men's meeting will be, "Vocation and Industry" by Bro. Mark Y. Croxall. "The value of credit in A. I. A. Movements" by Bro. LeRoy Skousen and "Enthusiasm" by Bro. Spence Young. The remaining time will be devoted to a general discussion of the subjects just mentioned. All are cordially invited but the M. I. A. officers are specially requested to be present.

THE GOLDEN GIANT MINE.

The First Ward M. I. A. presented their contest play "The Golden Giant Mine," at the Raymond Opera House on Saturday last and a large audience was there to applaud them. Mr. Geo. Cluff played the main role of Jack Mason the Gambler, and played it as one would wish with his experience. Thos. Mendshall as the mine owner and Jesse Redd his wife both handled their parts well and did their share toward sustaining the play. Miss Tillie Walton and Marie Skousen were very good the latter winning many a laugh by her Irish brogue. Wes Mc Mullin as Tom Flynn delighted the audience many times especially in his choice of literature for little Jack. Ervina Carter and Claud Cluff as the villains of the play did well and the smooth unscrupulous with which they viewed the suffering they had caused, marked them as veritable villains. One of the surprises of the evening was the character of Max Wayne taken by Zubulan Skousen. For a time no one knew who he was and surely the contest was suffering they had caused, marked them as veritable villains. One of the surprises of the evening was the character of Max Wayne taken by Zubulan Skousen. For a time no one knew who he was and surely the contest was suffering they had caused, marked them as veritable villains.

test piece was judged by three judges. Mrs. V. L. Tanner, Geo. H. Budd and Spence Young. An average was struck from the three averages taken by the three judges and 81 per cent was the average found. This will be kept tract of and when all the other wards are finished, the ward having the highest per cent wins the Contest.

Mr. B. S. Young spent three days in Raymond this week, coaching the "My Lady Nell" Company. We all appreciate Mr. Young's efforts for they will make a marked difference in the way the piece is played.

Mr. J. R. Reville was a visitor to Raymond last Wednesday in the interest of his insurance business.

We are glad to announce that the Saturday night performance of "My Lady Nell" the Opera House floor will be lowered so as those sitting in the back can see over those who are in front of them.

Wanted: a girl to do general house work. Good wages. Apply to L. P. Skousen, Raymond, Alta.

The "Golden Giant Mine" Company leaves for Cardston tonight where they will present a play. Cardston usually comes out strong to Home Dramatics and we hope they won't make an exception in this case.

Don't forget the big show Saturday night. Its for a good cause and you will get your money's worth.

Stirling came to 2nd Ward again and walked off with our boy's scalps dangling at their heels. It seemed as though our future was bright with that noble "Steed" called Frank away, but alas it made no difference, they still turned the trick. We may get another chance at them and if we do we must unite more works with our faith.

For Sale Cheap: One new single buggy, one good single harness and one good driving mare, apply to J. A. Smith, Raymond, Alta.

The infant daughter of J. V. Thelin died last Saturday as a result of general debility.

A Farewell Entertainment will be given in honor of Elder George Brewster, who leaves soon for a mission to Great Britain. A splendid program has been arranged and all are cordially invited. The entertainment is under the auspices of the Missionary Committee and an evening of enjoyment is promised. The affair is free but voluntary donations will be collected during the evening. Every body is invited and is requested to be there prompt at 7 o'clock at the Raymond 1st Ward Meeting house. Look for hand bill of program.

The Department of Neglected Children, at the present time, have a number of boys ranging in age from fourteen to seventeen years, for whom they are very anxious to secure work of some description. Farm houses will be given first consideration.

Those desirous of employing boys between these ages should communicate with the Superintendent of Neglected Children, Credit Fencier Building, Edmonton, and complete description of boys will be given. Some ten or twelve of these lads are available at the present time and should make capital boys for farmers and ranchers requiring help in their work.

SCHOOL SONG

[Tune "MY MARYLAND"]

Dedicated to the Knight Academy by B. S. Young.

Our ALMA MATER dear, to thee
We offer love and fealty.
That thou hast taught us what will be
Through time and all Eternity.
That thou hast shown us wisdom's ways,
Made us to feel the Spirit's rays,
Has filled our lives with love and praise.

MATER AMOR. MATER AMOR.

We love thy Shepherds, who with care
Lead us through learning's valleys fair,
Where light and warmth fill all the air,
And trees of truth rich fruitage bear.
We love thy FLICK, thy students dear,
We all thy ways and aims reverse,
Our bosoms thrill with love, not fear.

MATER AMOR. MATER AMOR.

Thy PURPLE teaches us that we
Are bearers of thy ROYALTY.
The GOLD, that baseness has no part
Of place with each loyal heart,
But as thy children, prove our worth,
And honor thee, who gave us birth,
To stand as SAVIORS of the earth.

MATER AMOR. MATER AMOR.

Miss Merle Kenney returned to her home in Raymond last Saturday after spending several months in the States. Miss Kenney visited around considerable while away but to hear her tell it, there is no place like Raymond.

We are having some fine basket ball games this winter and the last Friday night was no exception. The Raymond 2nd Ward played the Knight Academy team and won by the small margin of 1 point the score being 17 to 18. The 1st Juniors however turned out and 2nd Ward Juniors so everybody had a chance to shoot. A dance was given after the games all had a fine time. Our young people surely have no cause to complain this winter for lack of amusement.

In the last issue of the "Farmers' Advocate", appears a fine picture of Mr. Ray Knight's Hog House out on his Buck Ranch. This Hog House is considered to be one of the best and most convenient in the country and we congratulate Mr. Knight on having such an up to date place to keep his many hundreds of hogs.

The nine year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Wooley passed away from this life last Tuesday after a very short illness. The little lad was member of the district school and was well liked by all his associates. The doctor pronounced the cause of his death as heart trouble, and for the last few days of his sickness held out no hope. We extended to Bro. and Sister Wooley our heart-felt sympathy in their bereavement.

The lithographed hanger advertising the Annual Alberta Provincial Spring Horse Show to be held at Calgary April 8th to 12th, is now being distributed. Anyone who has not received a copy can have one sent to him by applying to E. L. Richardson, Secretary, Victoria Park, Calgary.

The Prize list will be ready in a few days and copies will be sent upon application. There will be about 250 classes in this year's prize list which is about 40 more than last year, and will necessitate holding a five day show in order to allow time for judging.

A new feature this year will be an auction sale of show horses on the morning of April 10th.

The annual Auction Sale of purebred bulls will be held under the auspices of the Alberta Cattle Breeders' Association on the morning of April 9th.

After a long stern battle, the home rule bill passed the House of Commons Thursday night by a majority of 110. It was later read for the first time in the House of Lords. There were two divisions in the lower house. Mr. Balfour's motion for its rejection was defeated, 258 to 268, while the third reading was carried by a vote of 267 to 257, one member of each side having left the house in the interval.

The ministerial total vote of 377 on the third reading of the Home Rule bill included 248 Liberals, 82 Nationalists and 39 Laborites. Two Liberals, Hon. T. Agar-Robartes and C. J. Cory, representatives of the two Cornish constituencies of St. Austell and St. Ives, voted against the measure.

In the three prairie provinces of the Canadian West there were, in 1912, a little less than 19,000,000 acres under cultivation, and from these 19,000,000 acres \$18,528,999 have been realized during the past four months, and there are still 60,000,000 bushels of wheat; and at least 75,000,000 bushels of oats; and from 5,000,000 to 6,000,000 bushels of flax used, so it is safe to assume that when the final bill for farm produce is made up there will be more than \$200,000,000 to credit to the farms. In a year when prices for grain have been low a gain of nearly \$17,000,000 on farm produce speaks volumes for the producing power of the country.

Funeral services over the remains of sister Mary Piegras Jensen, were held at the Second Ward Chapel on Wednesday afternoon, Bishop J. W. Evans presiding. The speakers were Pres. H. S. Allen, Bishop Jno. P. Anderson of the First Ward, Bishop W. S. Johnson of Barnwell, and Bishop B. S. Young of Lethbridge, brief closing remarks were also offered by Bishop J. W. Evans. The speakers dwelt upon the views held by the Latter-day Saints respecting the Resurrection and paid high and deserved tribute to the estimable life just brought to a close. Her husband and two children survive her, as also her father and mother and five brothers. Interment was made in the Raymond cemetery.

\$1.

Real Estate Investments
215-217 Lougheed Bldg.
Calgary, Alberta.

R. A. Fettis

the name of "scallopped beef." Melt about two ounces each of fresh butter and Parmesan cheese. Chop fine half a pound of cold roast beef and heat it in the cheese and butter. Season with salt and pepper. Pour the mixture into scallop shells or little tins, sprinkle over with breadcrumbs and grated Parmesan cheese. Brown in the oven and serve very hot.

What He Wanted to Know. certain case tried in Missouri

the name of "scallopped beef." Melt about two ounces each of fresh butter and Parmesan cheese. Chop fine half a pound of cold roast beef and heat it in the cheese and butter. Season with salt and pepper. Pour the mixture into scallop shells or little tins, sprinkle over with breadcrumbs and grated Parmesan cheese. Brown in the oven and serve very hot.

"MY - LADY - NELL"

A MELODRAMA IN 4 ACTS.

Presented under the direction of Mr. B. S. YOUNG, in
THE MAGRATH OPERA HOUSE FEB. 3rd.

This play was procured for the occasion from one of the Professional
Companies now playing in the East.

SYNOPSIS OF ACTS.

Act I. Exterior of the "Golden Gate" Tavern at Little Canyon, California. The arrival of the Englishmen. The crazy lurch back. Nell's fight, "we'll give the girl a chance."

Act II. Parlor and office of the Golden Gate Inn. Nell and Kate. A heart of Gold. The stolen Papers, Poison; Nell on Time. "Better see a real Doctor that one is no good."

Act III. The lost Mine. Love making under difficulties. The maniac re. members Dick saves Nell. "I'm going to save that child."

Act IV. Same as Act II. Dick a hero. A mother's sacrifice.

CAST

Dick Carleton
Lord Sterling
Humpty Jones
Pipes Finnigan
Arthur Bolton
Nell (the ward of the camp)
Kate Dalton
Mrs. Cornish
Moll Casey

M. Y. Croxall.
Geo. Brewerton.
Spence Young.
R. A. Gilles.
Thos. Allen.
Dorothy Young.
Rox. e. rodeback.
Elsie Jenkins.
Ethelyn Young.

This play will be presented as a testimonial to Mr. Geo.
Brewerton who leaves shortly for a mission to GREAT
BRITAIN.

PRICES.

25 35 and 50 cts.

IS YOUR SUBSCRIPTION DUE ?

DON'T FORGET

when you have a car of Grain ready for shipment, that we
are ready to handle same to your very best advantage.

By consigning your WHEAT, OATS, BARLEY or FLAX
to the order of

THE MONARCH GRAIN COMPANY, WINNIPEG
you may have the benefit of our twenty years Grain experience
to ensure getting the highest possible prices on the
Winnipeg market.

We are continually getting from two to five cents per
Bushels more for our clients than can be obtained on their
local market. All we get is a Commission of re. per bushel.
It is to our interest to get ever dollar possible for the farmer.
We invite you to communicate with us before disposing of
your Grain, and we will gladly send you our weekly Market
Letter, or answer any inquiries with regard to prices, ship-
ping instructions, or the grading of your Grain.

We fit at once to the

MONARCH GRAIN COMPANY

657 GRAIN EXCHANGE. WINNIPEG, MAN.
Member of the Winnipeg Grain Exchange. Licensed and Bonded.
Residence: 1018 - 10th Street, Winnipeg.

Business Cards.

Wm. Paris
Tinsmith and Plumber

RAYMOND ALBERTA

W. A. Barratt

Boot and Shoe
REPAIRER.

Next Door East of O'Brien's
Store.

Dr. P. H. Johnson
Veterinary Surgeon

LOCATED at STIRLING, ALTA.
Graduate of Ont. Veterinary
College.
I do Veterinary work in all
Branches.

Calls promptly attended.
LEAVE ORDERS at Blain's Drug Co.
RAYMOND. ALTA.

Professional Cards.

Dr. J. Elmer Amos
Dentist

D.D.S. University of Toronto
D.D.S. Royal College Dental Sur-
geons of Ontario
Graduate of Dominion Dental
Council of Canada.
Office Broadway and 2nd north.
Hours 9 to 12, 1 to 5.
WEDNESDAYS ONLY
RAYMOND, ALTA.

FELT BOOTS

SEE WHAT WE ARE SHOWING AT
LESS THAN COST.

SPECIAL PRICES IN

Woman's Children's
LEGGINS

Children's Coats,
Ladies Furs
Men and Boy's Over-Coats

Raymond Mercantile Co.,
LIMITED.

We Want Your Trade

TILL THE
1st. of FEB. We offer
the following
REDUCTIONS

25 per cent off on FURS and SHEEP-LINED COATS.
25 per cent off on ALL DRESS GOODS.
30 per cent off on LADIES COATS and SKIRTS.
20 per cent off on FELT and LEATHER SHOES.
20 per cent off on Woolen Underwear.
25 per cent off on Musical Instruments.

REDUCTIONS IN HEATERS

We have MARES and GELDINGS
FOR SALE.

The O'Brien-Nalder Co.
The Corner Store 63 Phone 13